1 2 3 4 5 6 7 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT 8 WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON AT TACOMA 9 10 DR. SAM WISE, and; GERMAN WISE 11 DENTAL, LLC d/b/a LOWER COLUMBIA ORAL HEALTH, a 12 Washington Limited Liability Company, 13 Plaintiffs. v. 14 JONATHAN T. ESKOW, an Individual, 15 and ESKOW LAW GROUP, LLC, formerly known as JTE LAW, LLC, a Massachusetts Limited Liability Company, 16 17 Defendants. 18 19 Plaintiffs' partial motion for summary judgment (Dkt. No. 51). 20 21 22 23

CASE NO. 3:22-cv-05033-DGE

ORDER REQUESTING SUPPLEMENTAL BRIEFING ON PARTIAL MOTION FOR SUMMARY JUDGMENT

This matter comes before the Court on its review of the parties' briefing related to

The Court is considering certifying a question to the Washington Supreme Court as to whether Washington Revised Code § 2.48.180 creates a private right of action for the unlawful practice of law. The Court seeks briefing from the parties on their views as to the certification of

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this question. The parties are ORDERED to submit briefing within two weeks of the issuance of this order. The parties' briefs shall be limited to no more than five pages each. Dated this 10th day of April, 2023. David G. Estudillo United States District Judge